

DISPOSITION: 1-8-58. Default—destruction.

24510. Canned peaches. (F.D.C. No. 40865. S. No. 53-478 M.)

QUANTITY: 197 cases, 24 cans each, at Columbia, Miss.

SHIPPED: 8-15-57, from Andersonville, Ga., by Easterlin Packing Co.

LABEL IN PART: (Can) "Flint River Yellow Freestone Halves Peaches * * *
Contents 1 Lb. 13 Oz."

LIBELED: 10-21-57, S. Dist. Miss.

CHARGE: 403(h)(1)—the quality of the article, when shipped, fell below the standard of quality for canned peaches because of hardness, and the label failed to bear a statement that the article fell below the standard.

DISPOSITION: 11-25-57 and 12-11-57. Default—delivered to a public institution.

DRIED FRUIT

24511. Raisins. (F.D.C. No. 39842. S. Nos. 28-911 M; 28-932/4 M.)

INFORMATION FILED: 6-26-57, N. Dist. Calif., against Modesto Dry Yard, Inc., Modesto, Calif.

ALLEGED VIOLATION: On 10-12-56, the defendant gave to a firm engaged in the business of shipping raisins in interstate commerce, a guaranty to the effect that food shipped by the defendant under the guaranty would not be adulterated or misbranded.

Between 10-18-56 and 10-24-56, the defendant caused to be shipped to the holder of the guaranty, at Selma, Calif., quantities of raisins which were adulterated.

CHARGE: 402(a)(3)—contained insect and rodent filth; and 402(a)(4)—prepared, packed, and held under insanitary conditions.

PLEA: Guilty.

DISPOSITION: 7-26-57. \$400 fine.

VEGETABLES AND VEGETABLE PRODUCTS*

24512. Dried beans. (F.D.C. No. 41326. S. Nos. 49-213/4 M.)

QUANTITY: 1,764 100-lb. bags at Chicago, Ill., in possession of Armour & Co.

SHIPPED: Between 8-1-57 and 11-13-57, from Buhl, Idaho, and Morrill and Gering, Nebr.

LIBELED: 1-8-58, N. Dist. Ill.

CHARGE: 402(a)(3)—contained rodent urine; and 402(a)(4)—held under insanitary conditions.

DISPOSITION: 1-22-58. Consent—claimed by Armour & Co. Segregated; 231 bags converted into animal feed.

24513. Canned cut green beans. (F.D.C. No. 41234. S. No. 86-503 M.)

QUANTITY: 70 cases, 6 cans each, at Kansas City, Mo.

SHIPPED: 7-9-57, from Fort Smith, Ark., by Good Canning Co.

LABEL IN PART: (Can) "Dependable Brand Cut Green Beans Contents 15½ Oz."

*See also Nos. 24454, 24481.

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: Examination showed that the article contained excess fiber and that it was packed in 6-pound cans labeled as containing 15½ ounces.

LIBELED: On or about 12-19-57, W. Dist. Mo.

CHARGE: 403(e)—when shipped, the article failed to bear a label containing (1) the name and place of business of the manufacturer, packer, or distributor, and (2) an accurate statement of the quantity of contents; and 403(h) (1)—the quality of the article fell below the standard of quality for canned cut green beans since the deseeded pods of the article contained more than 0.15 percent by weight of fibrous material, and the label failed to bear a statement that the article fell below the standard.

DISPOSITION: 1-31-58. Default—delivered to a county institution for its use and not for sale.

24514. Canned cut green beans. (F.D.C. No. 41233. S. No. 86-501 M.)

QUANTITY: 23 cases, 6 cans each, at Kansas City, Mo.

SHIPPED: 10-24-57, from Denton, Tex., by Whitson Food Products Co.

LABEL IN PART: (Can) "Camp Fire Brand Cut Green Beans Contents 15½ Oz."

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: Examination showed that the article contained excess fiber and that it was packed in 6-pound cans labeled as containing 15½ ounces.

LIBELED: On or about 12-19-57, W. Dist. Mo.

CHARGE: 403(e)—when shipped, the article failed to bear a label containing (1) the name and place of business of the manufacturer, packer, or distributor, and (2) an accurate statement of the quantity of contents; and 403(h) (1)—the quality of the article fell below the standard of quality for canned cut green beans since the deseeded pods of the article contained more than 0.15 percent by weight of fibrous material, and the label failed to bear a statement that the article fell below the standard.

DISPOSITION: 1-31-58. Default—delivered to a county institution for its use and not for sale.

24515. Dried kidney beans. (F.D.C. No. 39296. S. No. 28-727 M.)

QUANTITY: 861 100-lb. bags at San Juan, P.R.

SHIPPED: 6-19-56, from Stockton, Calif.

LABEL IN PART: (Bag) "California Kidney Beans" or "36-Cut-43 Black Stripe."

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: Examination showed that the article had been stored under insanitary conditions in the Wilbur-Ellis Co. warehouse, Stockton, Calif.

LIBELED: 7-18-56, Dist. P.R.

CHARGE: 402(a) (3)—contained urine when shipped; and 402(a) (4)—held under insanitary conditions.

DISPOSITION: 8-14-56. Consent—claimed by Mendez & Co., Inc., San Juan, P.R. Segregated; 158 bags found to be contaminated were returned to San Francisco for salvaging under the supervision of the Food and Drug Administration.

24516. Canned green lima beans. (F.D.C. No. 40665. S. No. 77-004 M.)

QUANTITY: 241 cases, 24 cans each, at Atlanta, Ga.